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In re application of Docket No: Q98835 Klaus LENHART Appln. No.: 10/511,294 Group Art Unit: 3679 Confirmation No.: 2233 Examiner: Ernesto Garcia Filed: October 15, 2004 For: ADJUSTABLE-LENGTH TUBE, IN PARTICULAR FOR POLES AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 **MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated September 21, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION......2 AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS......3